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1. HONDURAS 2. CNTRY CODE: 215 3. SER. NO: 0032500

4. VEHICLES Y REPUESTOS WALTER BROTHERS, S.A.

5. APARTADO POSTAL 14; 2 AVE. 1122, COMAYAGUELA.

6. TEGUCIGALPA, D.C., HONDURAS

7. ESTABL: 1973 8. EMPL: NA 9. SIZE: (20-X) MEDIUM

10. REPUTATION: (22-X) GOOD

11. SELLS ITS PRODUCTS IN HONDURAS

12. RPT. DATE: 06/77

13A. 37111/125 IMP, RET, AND AGT OF PASSENGER CARS.

13B. 37141/125 IMP, RET, AND AGT OF MOTOR VEHICLES PARTS AND
ACCESSORIES.

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14. CONTACT: THELMA DE WALTER, TITLE: MANAGER

15. CABLE: WALBRO 16. TELEX: NA 17. TEL: 228708

18. FINANCIAL REFS: BANCO ATLANTIDA, S.A., 7 AVE. 5 CALLE,
TEGUCIGALPA.

19. TRADE REFS: KAISER JEEP INTERNATIONAL CORP., BOX 903, TOLEDO, OHIO 43601; AMERICAN MOTORS CO., 14251 PLYMOUTH RD., DETROIT, MICHIGAN 48232.

20. AGENCY REP. OF KAISER JEEP INTL. CORP., BOX 903, TOLEDO, OHIO, 43601, FOR JEEPS, AMERICAN MOTORS CO., 14251 PLYMOUTH RD., DETROIT, MICHIGAN 48232, FOR PASSENGER CARS; SOC. COM. PEUGEOT, FRANCE, FOR PASSENGER CARS; MITSUBISHI ELECTRIC CORP., 2-12 MARUNOUCHI, CHYODA-KU, TOKYO, JAPAN, FOR HEAVY ELECTRICAL MACHINERY.

21. THIS FIRM WAS ORIGINALLY A PART OF WALTER BROTHERS WHICH WAS ESTABLISHED IN 1917 AS A REPRESENTATION AGENCY FOR FOREIGN FIRMS, AND LATER EXPANDED TO INCLUDE THE DISTRIBUTION AND MAINTENANCE OF MOTOR VEHICLES. IN 1973 WALTER BROTHERS WAS DIVIDED INTO TWO SEPARATE CORPORATIONS: WALTER BROTHERS, S.A. WAS FORMED SOLELY TO HANDLE REPRESENTATIONS, AND VEHICULOS Y REPUESTOS WALTER BROTHERS TO DEAL IN MOTOR VEHICLES. THE FIRM HAS BRANCHES IN SAN PEDRO SULA AND LA CEIBA IN NORTHERN HONDURAS. THE FIRM'S STOCKHOLDERS ARE MELBA R. VAZQUEZ, HARRY DOUGLAS CLARK, JOHN WALTER, THELMA DE WALTER, DORIS WALTER DE LLOVERAS, RAMON IZAGUIRRE AND ARMANDO MEDRANO DIAZ. WHEN MRS. THELMA WALTER'S HUSBAND, JAMES H. WALTER DIED ALMOST TWO YEARS AGO THE FIRM EXPERIENCED SOME FINANCIAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE DIFFICULTIES. SINCE THEN THE FIRM ACQUIRED NEW PARTNERS AND MANAGEMENT AND IS NOW BACK ON ITS FEET. MORE SPECIFIC INFORMATION IS NOT AVAILABLE SINCE THE MANAGER DECLINED TO FILL OUT OUR QUESTIONNAIRE FOR THIS REPORT. BANKING SOURCES REPORT THAT OBLIGATIONS ARE MET SATISFACTORILY. THE POST CONSIDERS THE SUBJECT UNCLASSIFIED

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A GOOD TRADE CONTACT FOR U.S. FIRMS.

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